

Western Electronics Announces Prototype and NPI Services

Westminster, Colorado - March 10, 2009 - Western Electronics (www.westernelectronics.com) announced that it has introduced prototype and NPI service capabilities to complement its electronics manufacturing and value-added solution offerings. Western Electronics is a full service contract electronics manufacturer providing design-for-manufacturability and testability, procurement/supply-chain management, printed-circuit-board assembly, wire-harness and cable assembly, box-build and upper level assembly, logistics and end-order-fulfillment, conformal coating services, and now prototype and NPI services.

Western Electronics recognized a need for quick turn prototype and NPI services to support several existing customers, as well as to offer an additional service to its local target customers. Western Electronics operates ISO 9001 certified facilities in Idaho and Colorado, and will offer prototype services out of both of its operations.

The process for material management and quick-turnaround was internally qualified in January in the Colorado operation, and is now being rolled out to the Idaho operation. As part of its NPI services, the company provides design for manufacturability analysis and provides design of assembly and bill of materials feedback.

“In response to our existing customer’s requirements and the opportunity with new local customers, we have introduced quick-turn prototype capability, and we appreciate our customers’ ongoing loyalty and support and our new customers interest in this service capability,” said Rob Subia, President and CEO of Western Electronics. “We believe this additional service will complement our existing value-added service offering, and broadens our capability to support existing and new customers.”

Western Electronics is a recognized leading Regional Contract Electronics Manufacturing Services Company (CEMS) providing manufacturing service solutions for original equipment manufacturers (OEMs), primarily in the western portion of North America. Our market focus is small to medium size OEM companies, who require a high level of quality, delivery, flexibility, and responsiveness in the outsourcing of product sub-assemblies or product assembly.

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